

June 28, 2006

Fisheries Scholarship Fund Request for Proposals

Dear Interested Parties:

The Fisheries Scholarship Fund (FSF) is a non-profit organization dedicated to research, education and information that benefits the seafood industry and seafood consumers. The Fisheries Scholarship Fund was established in 1964 and is a tax exempt, philanthropic, educational organization. The Fund is supported entirely by voluntary contributions from individuals and companies in the fish and seafood industry. The FSF funds a broad range of seafood technology, food safety, fisheries, nutrition and health, and consumer information projects. Each year the Fund awards scholarship awards to colleges and universities to conduct research of interest and benefit to the fish and seafood industry and seafood consumers.

You are invited to submit a mini proposal on one of six priority areas identified for 2007*:

- 1. Benefits & Risks of Seafood Consumption
- 2. International Trade Nutrition and Health
- 3. Fishery Economics & Resource Management
- 4. Aquaculture
- 5. Economic Integrity
- 6. Food Safety

Further explanation and instruction on proposal submission is provided in the accompanying Research Proposal Submission Guide.

Please submit one copy of the proposal by Tuesday, August 18, 2006 to each of the following:

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For questions concerning proposal submission, please contact Roy Martin 352-666-5646.

The seafood industry depends on and is appreciative of your research on seafood related issues.

Sincerely Yours,

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^{*} Research projects in seafood technology will also be considered based on their merit relative to existing seafood industry needs and priorities.